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## TEN PERISHED

### In an Italian Lodging House.

#### Terrible Loss of Life Accompanies a Small Fire.

Boston, Jan. 29.—Ten persons perished in a fire which broke out yesterday in an Italian lodging house in Fleet street. Four other occupants of the house were injured in jumping from windows. The financial loss was only a few hundred dollars. The list of dead follows:

Louis Pilato, proprietor of the lodging house.  
Madeline Pilato, his wife.  
Joseph Salento, father of Mrs. Pilato.  
Raffael Desco.  
Madellene Desco, his wife.  
Jennie Donetto.  
Antonietta Donetto.  
Sabatelli Dandi.  
Baby not identified.  
Unidentified man.

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Archduchess Elizabeth and Prince Otho von Windisch-Graetz of Austria.

### She Fared Gloriously at the Hands of the Emperor, Her Grandfather.

The marriage of Archduchess Elizabeth, granddaughter of Emperor Francis Joseph, to Prince Otho von Windisch-Graetz, was a love match, pure and simple, she having given up all hopes of throne and crown to marry a lieutenant in the Uhlan Lancers, who, while a Prince, is of a junior branch and not directly connected with any reigning family. They met first at a ball a year ago, and since that time they have been sweethearts.

After much persuasion and great difficulty the Archduchess won the consent of the Emperor to the match, he stipulating only that she should wait until reaching her eighteenth year before asking for a definite answer.

On her eighteenth birthday last

September, she repeated her request to be allowed to marry Prince Otho and no further objections were made by her grandfather, although other members of the family expressed their displeasure by leaving Vienna in order not to be present at the wedding. Archduke Ferdinand, the heir presumptive, and his brother, Archduke Otho, were among those who resented the alliance.

Before the wedding the formal and impressive ceremony of renunciation to all claims to the throne of Austria was necessary, and through this performance, pale and sad-eyed, but determined, the Archduchess carried herself as one gladly willing to renounce the glory and royalty for the love and protection of her humble sweetheart.

Prince Otho belongs to the cadet branch of an ancient family, but is only a serene highness. He assisted the Greeks in their fight, and was rewarded by King George of Greece with the decoration of the Order of San Salvador.

The gifts of the Emperor to the Archduchess included securities valued at \$1,000,000, a yearly allowance of \$250,000 and jewelry valued at \$1,000,000.

## HOLLAND

### Has Offered to Help Secure Peace.

#### War in South Africa May Thus be Ended.

The Hague, Jan. 30.—In the first chamber of the States General here the Premier, Dr. Kuyper, confirmed the accuracy of J. A. Balfour's statement in the British House of Commons yesterday regarding the Dutch government's offer to help in bringing about peace in South Africa. But the Premier added that he was prevented by courtesy from disclosing any details concerning the note so long as the British government had not published its contents or until a reply to it was received.

The Boer delegates disclaim any knowledge of the contents of the Dutch note to Great Britain.

## SKAT WINNERS.

### Second Tournament Played at Music Hall.

The second skat tournament of the season was played at Music hall, last Sunday afternoon, and a great deal of interest was taken in the playing, both by the German American players themselves, and all those who have become lately familiar with the game. Prizes for the tournament were awarded as follows:

First, Fred Horix; second, John Schuman; third, Emil Lindner; fourth, Julius Krocke; fifth, August Blessman; sixth, Jacob Benker; seventh, Chris Koch; eighth, Paul Linkert.

Every misery missed is a new mercy.—Isaac Walton.

## THIS WEEK

### And Its Attractions at the Grand.

"The Great White Diamond," an immensely popular melodrama, by the well known author, Walter Fessler, will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House tonight. The scenes, while soul stirring and sensational, are said to be true to life, and the show has been a big scenic success during the two seasons it has been out.

Mr. Neil Burgess, the eccentric character comedian, has again decided to put on his corked-up curls and dandy clothes and will appear in the old favorite, "The County Fair," for a limited season in American theatres. Mr. Burgess' funny, whole-souled work, and the many merits of the whole production have made thousands laugh, and this company is said to be first class in every respect. "The County Fair" will be at the Grand Friday night, Jan. 31.

Mr. Porter J. White, whose work as Mephisto has been a notable feature of "Faust" for several seasons, will play at the Grand Opera house, Saturday, in matinee and evening performance. Mr. White is said to be supported by an excellent company, and Miss Olga Verne has a reputation as a winsome Marguerite.

#### Second Meeting.

The Crosby School Mothers' and Teachers' circle held its second meeting for this year at 3:15 Thursday. The program follows: Devotional exercises, Mrs. Julia Lane; solo, Mrs. S. S. Haynes; address, Mrs. Isabella Berry; reading, Mrs. J. Ed. Peterson; solo, Mrs. Haynes.

He who has less than he desires, has more than he deserves.—Bacon.

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## "A FOOL FOR LUCK."

Subject of Hon. A. J. Nathan's Address.

"A Fool for Luck." This will be the subject of Hon. A. J. Nathan's address at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon, at 2:30, in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. movement. Mr. Nathan is an eloquent orator. He was formerly consul for the United States at Morocco, and has been a close observer of the Y. M. C. A. organization at home and abroad. It is believed a large audience will hear him Sunday afternoon.

On Wednesday evening, the executive committee, having in charge the campaign for a Y. M. C. A. in Akron, met and discussed affairs in general. While no definite action was taken, a number of plans were considered, and chairman W. E. Upham, of the committee, said Thursday, that the project was now moving along in well organized form, with much on which to base predictions for success.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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Charles Gouger to Lewis Young, 17.45 acres in Coventry, \$880.  
T. A. Steel to Henderson Steel, 62.75 acres in Stow township, \$1.  
John V. Swarts to Theresa Roeger, a lot of land on Jackson st., near Coburn st., \$1.

## ONE ON THE BOYS.

### Mother Rather Got the Start of Them.

Sometimes the mother plays a turn on the young people and greatly to their benefit. A young lady in Memphis, Tenn., Miss B. Dye of 222 Carroll ave., comments in an interesting way about the harmless little deception her father played upon one of the family during the summer.

She says: "Every member of our family could write a testimonial about Postum Food Coffee and what it has done for us. Father has really been made over since quitting coffee and using Postum, but I must tell you about brother."

When he came home from college last summer he was thin and looked dreadfully. We questioned him about his food and drink. He said he drank coffee, "Of course I can't get along without a good cup of coffee three times a day." Mother did not say anything to him, but made Postum for him just the same, and at the next meal he complimented her on the coffee. Several times he said, "Now if I just had such coffee as this at school I could make better averages in my studies."

So during the whole summer he drank Postum, thinking it was strong coffee, and we could all see, from day to day, how much he was improving in health. His complexion gradually cleared up and he gained in every way. When he went back in the fall mother told him the secret she had kept for over three months, and put several packages of Postum in his trunk.

You may depend upon it, the lesson was one he will never forget. My younger brother quit coffee about a year ago and has been using Postum Food Coffee, and he has been built up from a regular invalid until he is now a fat, rosy-cheeked boy, full of life and fun. Just the other day he remarked he was getting along so much better in his studies than ever before and he wondered what caused the change. Mother remarked, "It is Postum."

## PROGRESS

### Of the Valley Railway.

### Tireless Efforts of D. L. King Successful.

For Nine Years He Gave Time and Fortune to the Work.

The funeral services for the late David L. King will be held at the residence, 306 Park st., Friday at 2 p. m., and will be conducted by Rev. J. H. W. Blake, of St. Paul's Episcopal church. Burial will be private.

The history of earlier Akron was a part of Mr. King's life, and his life was a part of that history. Public spirited, he gave his time, and risked his fortune time and again to help industries and the growth of the then struggling town. It was in Akron's earlier railway history that Mr. King made probably his greatest effort, and passed through one of the severest struggles of his whole life, his efforts finally resulting in success.

In 1870 a proposition was made for the extension of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad from Pittsburg to Chicago, to run through Akron, provided the citizens of this place would subscribe \$300,000 of the capital stock. A subscription book was opened, and circulated, authorizing D. L. King, Charles Brown and Lewis Miller to pledge and guarantee the required amount. Mr. King and his associates were tireless and active, and succeeded in raising an excess of the required amount, out for some reason the project was indefinitely postponed in 1871.

In 1880, largely through Mr. King's influence, a charter had been obtained for "The Canton & Akron" railway, and now that the scheme for the B. & O. extension failed, it rapidly merged into the more important enterprise of the "Valley Railway Co." which was incorporated in 1871, with Mr. King as one of the incorporators. The authorized capital was \$3,000,000, and Akron's quota, \$150,000 was speedily raised.

On the organization of the company, Messrs. King and Seiberling were chosen directors, and the next year, the contract for the road was awarded Messrs. A. L. Conger and Nicholas Vansickle. After a period of extraordinary work, there came a difference between directors and contractors, work was suspended, and the panic of 1873, made it necessary that Mr. King in order to be made president assume individual responsibility for the liabilities of the company.

Failing to secure enough money at home to finish the work, Mr. King went to Europe in 1875, and tried to interest London capitalists in order to sell them stock. He was at first successful, and then, by reason of the failure of some American railroads, his prospective purchasers lost faith, and he was forced to return home empty handed. He succeeded, however, in interesting American capital in the scheme, and the road was rapidly completed, owing to his unceasing interest and effort, and the first through train was run January 28, 1880. Thus, for ten years, Mr. King pushed an enterprise to success, after continued trouble, reverse at almost every step, losing a fortune in the work.

## OH, GENERAL, WHAT IS THIS?

### Gov. Nash Says Harding Will be His Successor.

Columbus, O., Jan. 30.—Governor Nash, who was quoted by some of the newspapers as saying, at the banquet given in honor of the Associated Ohio Dailies, that Senator Harding of Marion, would be his successor, said last evening, that, whether he made the remark or not, he was willing to be credited with it.

When those who attended the caucus on the administration taxation bills were leaving the Governor's private office last night one of the newspaper men, waiting in the outer room, addressed Senator Harding as "Governor." Mr. Harding replied with a laughing remark that Governor Nash had been joking.

"Whether I was joking or not," said the Governor, "and whether or not I really said what they say I did, I am perfectly willing to stand for it."

#### Released From Jail.

Warren Miller was released from jail Wednesday. He had been there several weeks, under charge of not supporting his family, but the grand jury did not return a true bill against him.

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